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## **DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.132**

### I, Lester J. Vincent, do hereby declare and say:

- A deposit of Bifidobacterium KK-1 was deposited on March 20, 2002 with the Korean Cultural Center of Microorganisms and assigned Accession number KCCM-10364.
- A copy of the International Form assigning Accession number KCCM-10364 is attached as Appendix A.
- A deposit of Bifidobacterium KK-2 was deposited on March 20, 2002 with the Korean Cultural Center of Microorganisms and assigned Accession number KCCM-10364.

- 4. A copy of the International Form assigning Accession number KCCM-10365 is attached as Appendix B.
- 5. All restrictions imposed by the depositor on the on the availability to the public of Bifidobacterium KK-1, Accession number KCCM-10364 and Bifidobacterium KK-2, Accession number KCCM-10364 will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of a patent.

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# **APPENDIX A**

International Form assigning Accession number KCCM-10364



# BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROGRANISMS FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

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RECEPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL issued pursuant to Rule 7.1 by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY identified at the bottom of this page

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM		
Identification reference given by the DEPOSITOR:  Bifidobacterium KK-1	Accession number given by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY: KCCM-10364	
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IV. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY		
Name: Korean Culture Center of Microorganisms  Address: 361-221, Yurim B/D Hongje-1-dong, Seedaemun-gu SECUL 120-091 Republic of Korea	Signature(s) of person(s) having the power to represent the International Depositary  Authority or of authorized official(s):  Date: Mor. 29, 2002	

Where Rule 6.4(d) applies, such date is the date on which the status of international depositary authority was acquired: where a deposit made outside the Budapest Treaty after the acquisition of the status of international depositary authority is converted into a deposit under the Budapest Treaty, such date is the date on which the microarganism was received by the international depositary, authority.

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Identification reference given by the DEPOSITOR:  Bifidobacterium KK-2	Accession number given by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITIONAL AUTHORITY: KCCM-10365	
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